
RASTADT, Feb. 8.—The Deputation of the Em-
pire was engaged on the 7th with the consideration of
the late note of the French Ministers. Those who af-
fected to be in the secret say, that they have required to
know the whole of the plan of peace proposed by the
French Government, in order to decide on the whole,
and to adopt that measure which may best suit the cir-
cumstances of the case. This note was taken into con-
sideration yesterday.

LLOYD'S LIST, February 23.

THE Hedwig Magdalena, Juke, from Barcelona, has been
taken by the French, retaken by a King's ship, and
brought into Guernsey.

A neutral ship, laden with wine and brandy, for French ac-
count, has been taken near St. Malo, by the Cormorant frigate,
and sent into Jersey.

The Phoenix privateer, Haman, of Jersey, carrying 6 guns
and 30 men, has taken the five following prizes, viz.—a Span-
ish brig of 70 tons, from Coruna to Bilbao, in ballast; a
French brig, L'Antoine, 267 tons, with ship timber and planks;
a ditto, L'Amite, 80 tons, with brandy and rum; a ditto, 150
ditto, with ditto; and a sloop of 50 ditto, with ditto, from
Beyonne, to Bordeaux and Breil.—The Phoenix engaged in
the night a brig of 14 guns, nine pounders, lincned her fire,
and lay by her till the morning, when seeing her great superi-
ority of force, was obliged to quit her, with some damage in
her hull, sails, and rigging. The French brig appeared to
have suffered greatly, and did not offer to chase.

The Eagle privateer, Torre, has sent into Jersey a small
chasse-maree, with brandy and wine.

The Mercury, Sloop, from Trinidad, to London, was taken
by a French privateer, from Guadalupe, on the 20th Novem-
ber, after a long engagement, in which were two men killed,
the captain, mate, and six men wounded.

The Betty, Degen, from Charleston, to Hambro' has been
taken by the French, retaken by the Cormorant sloop, and ar-
rived at Plymouth.

The Swedish ship Patriot, Helman, from St. Joes, with pil-
lagers; the Admiral Stromfeld, Evichon, from the Baltic, to
Leghorn; and the Charles Frederick, —, from Russia, to
Leghorn, are captured and carried into Malaga. The latter is
condemned, ship and cargo.

The James, Miller, from Blakeney, to Plymouth, is sup-
posed to be lost on the coast of France.

The Lightfoot, Goddard, from Halifax, to Antigua, is re-
ported to be taken by the French.

The Ebenezer, Blake, from Milford, is on shore near Mount
Batten (Plymouth) and full of water.

The Louis, Cummings, from London, to the Cape, has
been run foul of, off the coast, by the Marquis Cornwallis In-
dian, and is put into Plymouth with damage. The latter
has lost her bowsprit, and sustained other damage.

MAILS.

Arrived, Ireland, 6.

Due, Ireland, 2.—Hambro, 6.

WINDS AT BEAL.

Feb. 23. S. S. W.—21. S. W.—22. W. S. W.

STOCKS.

Bank Stock 122 1/2 2 5 per cent. Ann. 71 1/2 1/2

3 per cent. cons. 49 1/2 1/2 Long Ann. 13 15-16 14

4 per cent. 60 61 Short.

This day (Feb. 23.) at twelve o'clock,

3 per cent. red. 49 1/2 50 49 1/2—3 per cent. cons. 49 1/2 1/2

EXCHANGES, LONDON ON

Hambro, 38 0 24U Dublin, 9

Liver, 67 1/2 Bank-money, —

Baris, 67

Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—FEBRUARY 26.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT IN LONDON.]

HOUSE OF COMMONS, February 23.

The Sheriff of London presented three petitions from
the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council. The first was of the most general importance. It stated
that the disproportion between the price of grain and
bread, arose from the deficiency in the number of mills,
by which the metropolis is supplied, and prayed that a
bill might be brought in for erecting more mills. The
second prayed for a more effectual mode of recovering
small debts, and the third related to a projected im-
provement in the navigation of the River Thames, near
the Isle of Dogs. The House was summoned to the
House of Lords, when the Royal assent was given to
the bill for extending the time of calling out the Sup-
plementary Militia, and some other private bills.

SIR SYDNEY SMITH.

Mr HUSKINSON rose to propose a motion, which he
said, was only an extension of that moved by his Hon.
Friend (Mr Baker) last night. He stated, that Sir
Sydney Smith suffered the most cruel, and rigorous con-
finement in one of the dungeons of Paris, where he is
exposed to the most unmanly insults, and the most in-
human treatment. The papers he should move for,
would show that it had been the uniform endeavour of
the British Government, to alleviate the horrors of war,
while the French Government had done every thing in
their power, to aggravate them. He moved, "that
there be laid before the House, such correspondence or
papers, as may be found in the Transport Office, and
Sick and Hurt Office, relative to the confinement of
Capt. Sir Sydney Smith in France, or negotiations for
his exchange."

Captain BARKLEY seconded the motion. He la-
mented the absence of those gentlemen who had pa-
thetically addressed the House on the imprisonment of La
Fayette. The cruelty of the French to his brother of-
ficer Sir Sydney Smith, was beyond all example in ci-
vilized States. He again lamented the absence of the
gentlemen he had alluded to, but he hoped their absence
was occasioned by shame and contrition.

The papers were ordered.

Thursday, the Scotch distillery bill was read a second
time, and ordered to be committed on Monday: And
The Edinburgh Two-penny Scots Petition, and
Edinburgh Roads Petition, were reported, and bills
ordered.

A letter from Bucharest dated the 14th Jan. says,
that Passawag Oglou, leader of the insurrection in the
Turkish provinces, demands the following conditions as
the price of peace.

1st. That the supreme authority shall be restored to
the Grand Seigneur.

2d. That he shall dismiss the Council by which he is
governed.

3d. That three of the members of this Council shall
be beheaded or delivered to him.

4th. That all taxes which oppress the people shall be
reduced.

5th. That the garrisoning of all fortified towns be
entrusted to the Janissaries, as formerly.

6th. That the Grand Seigneur grant him a Pacha ship,
with three tails, and allow him to maintain troops, in
the same manner as the Pacha of Scutari and others.

The troops of Passawag Oglou are well supported,
and are supposed to amount to 30,000 men, 12,000 of
whom are cavalry. Each foot soldier receives 10 fous
a day, and each horseman 20. But they must all join
the army well equipped. The troops have rations in
addition to their pay. His banker, who is a Jew of
Widen, states his present expenses to be 1,500,000 li-
vres per month.

Government has dispatched a cutter to ascertain the
cause of the non-arrival of the Hamburg packets.
The general opinion now is, that the Elbe is frozen up,
as the last ship that quitted that river, made her way
through the congregated masses of ice with difficulty.

Letters received to day from Newcastle, state, that
advice had been received there from Hamburg, of the
French Directory having demanded 30 millions of dol-
lars, as the price of allowing them to remain neutral.—
The intelligence from Paris of the port of Hamburg
having been shut, does not appear confirmed.

The abolition of holidays at the public-offices has
long been called for; it is astonishing that an absurd
waite of time, like this, should so long have been per-
mitted.

IRELAND.

On Monday last Lord MOIRA made a long speech
in the House of Peers, relative to the situation of that
country. He stated the present system of Government
there, as a system of oppression, and which could be
ascribed to the British Cabinet only.—He then conclud-
ed by moving:

"That an humble Address be presented to His Ex-
cellency the Lord Lieutenant, representing that as
Parliament had confided to his Excellency extraor-
dinary powers for supporting the laws and for defeat-
ing any traitorous combinations which may exist in
this kingdom, this House feels it, at the same time,
a duty to recommend the adoption of such concilia-
tory measures as may allay the apprehensions and ex-
tinguish the discontents unhappily prevalent in this
country."

Several Peers spoke in reply, and in opposition to
the motion; the Lord CHANCELLOR in particular, gave
a very long detail of the present state of the country
and the reasons which had induced Government, to
adopt the measures which had been pursued.

The question being put there appeared,

Contents, 9. Non Contents, 44.

VOLUNTARY SUBSCRIPTION.

Right Hon. D. Latouche and Co. per ann. £. 2000
Sir John Parrell, do. 1000

Lord Ely, do. 1000

Lord Roden, do. 500

James Vernon Churchill, Armagh, do. 400

Hon. Thomas Knox, do. 200

Sir George Shee, do. 500

Sir John Tydd, do. 1000

Rev. Richard Bourne, do. 200

Walter Jones, Esq. do. 200

N. Loftus Tottenham, Esq. do. 500

Rev. Samuel Riall, Vicar of Killmilla, 100

John Lees, Esq. per ann. 500

Hon. and Rev. Dean Hewitt, 40

Besides the above the following contributions have been ad-
vanced:

Lord Perry, 1000

Servants of John P. Smith, 10

Officers and privates of the Powercourt Corps
of Cavalry, 100

Smith Ramage, Esq. 500

Londonderry Militia, 608

George Sandford, Esq. 200

William Fencible, two days pay, 287 10

Mellis Armit and Borough, 500

This day was married at Lord Stonefield's, George's
Square, Capt. JAMES DAVIDSON of the Hon. East In-
dia Company's service, to Miss CAMPBELL, daughter
of Lieutenant-Colonel Campbell, of the 4th Fencible
Infantry.

Married at St Andrew's, on the 13th curt. WIL-
LIAM LINDSEAY of Balmungie, Esq. to Miss MARY
ADAMSON, daughter of the Rev. Dr JOHN ADAMSON,
St Andrew's.

Died at Maryfield in Roxburgh, on the 20th curt.
Miss BEATRICE MACKENZIE, daughter of the late
John Mackenzie, Esq. of Brea.

Died on Wednesday the 21st of February curt. at
his house, West Church, Maryfield, near Edinburgh, Mr
JAMES MCLEISH, in the 83d year of his age, much
regretted.

We are authorized to state, that the regiment of
MID-LOTHIAN Fencible Cavalry, quartered at Dun-
dalk, in Ireland, have subscribed a week's full pay to-
wards the exigencies of the State, and that they have
received the thanks of the Lord Lieutenant for so spi-
rited an offer.

The LANCASHIRE LIGHT DRAGOONS have sub-
scribed three days pay in aid of Government.

The Company of Loyal Forfar Volunteers, under
the command of Capt. JAMES WYLLIE, have unani-
mously agreed to give 100 guineas, from their funds,
to the aid of Government, for the defence of the coun-
try.

Wednesday, the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons
at Glasgow voted one hundred guineas to aid the pre-
sent exigencies of the state; and Saturday, the Faculty
of Procurators voted two hundred guineas from their
funds for the same purpose, and opened a subscription
among the members, individually, which is rapidly fil-
ling up. The Society of Coopers in Port Glasgow
have voted twenty pounds for the same purpose.

On Thursday last, Mr HOOD, who some time ago
was presented to the Church of Neilston, by ARCH-
BALD SPEIRS, Esq. of Elderslie, was ordained Mini-
ster of that parish, and cordially received by heritors,
elders, and people of all ranks.

The owners of the ships now fitting out at Hull for
Greenland and Davis' Straights fisheries, have peti-
tioned the Admiralty for a convoy, to be ready to sail
from thence the first week in March. The number of
ships is 23.

Another petition from Hull has been transmitted to
the Admiralty, praying for a convoy to sail from that
port with the ships bound to Hamburg, on the 8th of
March—also, that the Board will be pleased to appoint
sufficient convoys to sail from the Humber every Thurs-
day fortnight from that time, with the vessels then ready,
bound to Hamburg; and to bring back such ships,
laden with yarn and other goods, as may be laying at
Hamburg, bound for Hull.

In the preamble to the above petition, it is stated—
"That between the 1st day of January and the 31st of
December 1797, 104 ships, 90 of which were foreign
vessels, cleared out at the Custom-house in Hull, with
goods of British manufacture to an immense value, for

Hamburg. That since the late decree of the Govern-
ment of France, that neutral ships shall no longer be
any protection to the cargoes of such ships, there can
be no doubt that the whole of such goods exported from
Hull to Hamburg, will, from henceforth, be sent in
English bottoms."

On Thursday morning, a great many light and load-
en vessels were off Tynmouth bar, and the sea being
very high, no pilots could go to sea; several of them,
in coming over the bar, got to leeward, (the wind
being from the S. S. E. and blowing strong) and drifted
amongst the rocks; one small brig lies sunk in Prior's
Haven: The Friendship, of Scarbro', Captain Harri-
son, is bulged near the Spanish battery: The James, of
Yarmouth, lies amongst the rocks near her; and the
Goldthorp of Newcastle, coal-laden, is sunk near the
same place. All the crews are saved, and if the weather
becomes fine, most of the vessels will be got off.

On Wednesday last, JOHN STOREY printer, of Bel-
fast, was committed to Carrickfergus goal, charged u-
pon oath, with having administered illegal oaths to a
private foldier in the Monaghan Militia.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Augusta,
Georgia, to his friend in this country, dated 15th
November 1797.

"There is one unfortunate circumstance resulting to
this country from its original connection with Great
Britain—it continues to be the receptacle of the scum
and dregs of the three kingdoms. Every seditious
scoundrel, whose punishment is exile, or whose antipa-
thies are Botany Bay or the gallows, shapes his course
immediately for America; which he considers as an as-
ylum of right, and as bound to shelter and shield every
one who is ready to enrol himself among our exclusive
patriots. But those who do so are egregiously mistaken.
These patriots decrease daily; and though once pretty
numerous, were never respectable. Your little traitor
DAVID DOWNIE, is a resident in this place, and, I be-
lieve, experiences the truth of some of these observa-
tions. Indeed I think your Government could not
have done otherwise than pardon him; the example
would have been of little weight, and must have alarm-
ed the people with just fears for the strength of their
Government, if it could receive any injury from the
best exertions of such a character. His dress, manners
and connections are all democratic, and, I have the plea-
sure to add, very generally dispised in Augusta.

BEER AND ALE.

TO THE PRINTER OF THE CALEDONIAN MERCURY.

SIR,

I was much pleased on observing in your Monday's
Mercury, a detail of the proceedings of the meeting of
the county of Mid-Lothian, relative to the duty of two
pennies in the pint of beer and ale. I perfectly agree
with these Gentlemen, in thinking that this tax should
be taken off, and that every encouragement should be
given to the use of brewed liquors in preference to li-
quors distilled. I also go along with them in thinking
that the best method of doing so, is by furnishing to
the Public, brewed liquors of good quality at a mode-
rate price. Allow me, however, to state a fact for the
consideration of these Gentlemen at their next meeting.
For some years past barley has borne a very high price.
—In February 1796, it was 27 s. per boll;—in Fe-
bruary 1797, 23 to 24 s.;—at present, it is so low as
15 s. The difference in these prices on the annual
consumption of a brewer of medium trade, must amount
to a very considerable sum per annum. Now, what has
been the consequence? Have the brewers either re-
duced the prices, or bettered the quality of their ales?
No such thing has taken place; and yet I think it an
evident proposition, that when barley is at 15 s. per
boll, ale should either be of a better quality or a lower
price, than when barley is at 23 s. or 27 s. per boll.

I state these circumstances, in order that if the brew-
ers are relieved from the tax of two pennies in the pint,
the Public ought to have some assurance that ale shall
be of a better quality in future.

It is but justice, however, to say, that the ale in E-
dinburgh is both cheaper and better in quality than any
I have tasted in other parts of Scotland. I am yours,
Feb. 21, 1798. JOHN BARLEYCORN.

Shipping Intelligence.

Yesterday, sailed from Leith Roads, on a cruise, his Majesty's
sloop of war, the Iris of 32 guns, Captain Surridge.

Eight very valuable British ships sailed from Hull for Ham-
burgh and Bremen, on Wednesday, under convoy of his Ma-
jesty's sloop Scorpion.

ARRIVED AT LEITH.

Feb. 21. Andrew and Ketty, Marshall, from Glasgow, goods.

22. Coldstream Packet, Ord, from London, do.

Exchange, Tufts, from Burnham, grain.

Three Brothers, Barr, from Newcastle, goods.

Isobel and Margaret, Anderson, from Alcmouth, grain.

Betty, Robertson, from do. do.

Unity, Carter, from Hull, goods.

Admiral Duncan, McLachlan, from Greenock, do.

Two Brothers, Murray, from Alcmouth, grain.

Ant, Thistle, from Burnham.

Active, Vesley, from Yarmouth.

Albion, M-Leod, from Shields, goods.

London and Berwick Packet, Ward, from London.

24. Dorothea, Andrews, from Lynn, grain.

26. Newcastle Packet, Cathness, from Dundee, goods.

Zephyr, Weatherly, from London, do.

Star, Nicholson, from Lymington, do.

Happy Return, Munro, from Berwick, barley.

Active, Sims, from Perth, malt.

Adventure, Hutton, from London, goods.

Windham, —, from Lynn, barley.

Borrowtowness, Robertson, from Glasgow, good.

SAILED.

22. Hope, Charteries, for Glasgow, goods.

Berwickshire, Cooper, for London, do.

Beaufoy, M-Laren, for Hull, do.

Neptune, Hall, for London, do.

Glasgow Packet, Taylor, for London, do.

Two Brothers, Milne, for Montrose, do.

Ketty, Withart, for Newcastle, do.

Speedwell, Grant, for Londonderry, tobacco.

Wind S. W.—Moderate.

CLEARED OUT OF THE CLYDE.

Feb. 23. Meriam, King, for St Kitts and Tortola, goods.

Convert Miller, for Demarara, do.

LONDON

ENTERED INWARDS.

FEBRUARY 22.

Aberdeen—Duchess of Gordon, James Scott
Borrowtowness—Thames, Archibald Shannon

CLEARED OUTWARDS.

Berwick and Leith—Lizard, James Russell
Perth and Dundee—Active, George White

LADIES SUBSCRIPTION.

The Voluntary Subscriptions go on in this City with increas-
ed spirit and alacrity. Even the Ladies are animated by a ve-
hement emulation, to signalize their zeal in the common cause of
British Subjects. They are sensible, that in a crisis like the
present, where the whole property of the country is at stake, it
makes no difference, in a rational point of view, whether that
property is held by male or female hands; but that the contribu-
tions of individuals, of either sex, ought to be in a due pro-
portion to their fortunes. Accordingly, several of the Sub-
scriptions from Ladies, in the General List at Merchants Hall,
are most ample and liberal; and it is in that List that the con-
tributions of Ladies of independent fortunes are expected to be
made.

But this zeal of our fair Countrywomen is (to their honour)
not confined to those of separate or independent fortune. A
distinct subscription paper has been opened for such Ladies, as
have no independent establishment or household, but are mem-
bers of a family: either the wife whose husband has already
contributed to the rate that he thinks suitable to his station and
circumstances, or the sisters or daughters who wish to testify
their cordial approbation of this great and united exertion for
the preservation of all our national blessings. In this last men-
tioned list are some of the highest and most respectable names;
but the subscriptions are purposely made of small sums, that the
example may be the more generally followed.

In conformity with the above idea, a Book is now opened at
the Merchants Hall, for the Subscriptions of LADIES, in
which the following names already appear:

Lady Armiton	—	£. 20 0 0
Mrs Dundas of Armiton	—	5 5 0
Mrs C. Dundas Melville	—	10 0 0
Miss Cockburn	—	1 1 0
Miss Matilda Cockburn	—	1 2 0
Miss Margaret Cockburn	—	1 1 0
Miss Anna Cockburn	—	0 10 6
Miss Jane Cockburn	—	0 10 6
Miss Hunter	—	1 1 0
Miss Henrietta Hunter	—	1 1 0
A child's mite	—	0 0 6
Miss Irving	—	0 10 6
Miss Margaret Elliot	—	1 1 0
Miss Jane Elliot	—	1 1 0
Miss Mary Dundas	—	1 1 0
Miss H. Dundas	—	1 1 0
Miss Glog	—	1 1 0
Miss Helen Gordon	—	1 1 0
The Duchess of Buccleugh	—	10 10 0
Lady Dalkeith	—	5 5 0
Lady Elizabeth Montague	—	3 3 0
Lady Harriet Montague	—	3 3 0
Miss Jamina Gibson	—	1 1 0
Mrs Hamilton of Pencaitland	—	5 5 0
Miss Suttie	—	2 2 0
Miss James Suttie	—	1 1 0
Miss Maria Dundas	—	1 1 0
Mrs Arbuthnot, Royal Exchange	—	1 1 0
Miss Arbuthnot, ditto	—	1 1 0

(To be continued.)

The Right Honourable the LORD PROVOST has re-
ceived the following letter:

MY LORD, Glasgow, Feb. 24, 1798.
This day I received 30 copies of the Resolutions of your re-
spectable meeting, with 10 copies of the Address to the Peo-
ple of Scotland, which I shall instantly cause distribute amongst
the inhabitants of Greenock; and am happy in having it in my
power to inform you that the inhabitants of this town have al-
ready subscribed for the aid of Government, above 3,000. Still
long, besides the subscription from the Navy Officers here, 250l.
and about 800l. from the Loyal Greenock Volunteers, and the
subscription still going on. I am, my Lord,
Your Lordship's most obedient servant,
HUGH CRAWFORD, Elder Magistrate.

A General Meeting of the Society in Scotland for PROPO-
GATING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE is to be held within
their own Hall, Newburgh, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 1st
day of March 1798, at two o'clock afternoon, when it is re-
quested the Members will attend. The Directors meet at one
o'clock.

The Living Elephant, the Royal Male Tiger, the Horned
Horse, and the Cow with two Heads, continue to draw crowds
of fashionable visitors to the caravans at the Eastern Monnd.
Such rare and beautiful animals have never been exhibited here
on any former occasion.—Admittance only One Shilling.

THIS DAY

THE BRITISH STATE LOTTERY

Began Drawing in London.

TICKETS & SHARES

Are Selling in the greatest variety of Numbers, at the

Old Licensed Office of

THOMSONS AND CO.—

No. 8. South Bridge Street, Edinburgh.

WHEREAS, on Sunday morning early, the 25th instant,
the Cabin of the Ship SUCCES, lying in the harbour
of Leith, was entered by some thief or thieves, out of which
they took a pair of dark green Cassimere Breeches, a new Scar-
let Cassimere Vest, with Mother of Pearl buttons,

HIGHLAND SOCIETY HALL.
January 9, 1798.
PREMIUMS
ADJUDGED BY
THE HIGHLAND SOCIETY OF SCOT.
LAND, for Improvements in Agriculture, mending the
Breed of Black Cattle, and other relative objects, and for Essays
or Communications of merit on different subjects, in the year 1797

ESSAYS OR COMMUNICATIONS.
To Mr John Barran, at Montrieh, near Dingwall, for his
Essay on the circumstances which tend to make the life of Horles
almost universal in the Highlands, and how far and with what
effect might Osen be substituted in their stead, signed "A High-
land Farmer"—A Gold Medal or Piece of Plate of Ten Guineas
value.

To Mr John Somerville, surgeon in Haddington, for his Es-
say on Pest Mole, and the Chemical Qualities of Pest Athra—
A Gold Medal or Piece of Plate of Five Guineas value.

IMPROVEMENT OF BARREN LAND BY
POTATOES.
To Mr Robert Gordon, tackman of Clathair, Glenlivet, par-
ish of Inveraven, and county of Banff, for bringing into Tillage,
by an approved crop of Potatoes, the greatest proportion of land
not hitherto in culture, of any tenant in the North or West High-
land districts of Scotland residing at a distance from the sea, in the
year 1797—Eight Guineas.

POTATOES.
To the Rev. Mr William Smith, minister of Power, county of
Caithness, for raising the greatest quantity of Potatoes on half a
Scots acre of ground, of any tenant in the Highland districts of
Orkney and Shetland, Caithness and Sutherland, in the year
1797—Five Guineas.

BLACK CATTLE.
To Col. Alexander Macdonell of Glenary, for the best Bull
proper for improving the breed of Highland Cattle, the property
and in possession of any proprietor or tenant, in the county of In-
verness and Sutherland, Kintail in Ross-shire, and the Highland dis-
tricts of Moray and Nairn, kept on their farm in terms of the
Society's advertisement, and exhibited at the competition at Fort
Augustus, for a Piece of Plate of that value.

To John Mackay, messenger at Fort Augustus, for the best
Bull, the property and in possession of any tenant in the First
District, kept on their farm or town as aforesaid, and exhibited
at the competition at Fort Augustus in the year 1797—Four
Pounds Sterling.

To John Noble, in Clannore, parish of Urquhart, for the second
best Bull, in said first or Fort Augustus district, kept and exhib-
ited as aforesaid—Two Pounds Ten Shillings Sterling.

To Alexander McGillivray, tackman of Daviot, parish thereof,
for the best Bull, the property and in possession of any tenant in the
3d or Inverness district, kept on their farm in terms of the
Society's advertisement, and exhibited at the competition at
Inverness in the year 1797—Four Pounds Sterling.

To John Collier, tackman of Elrick, parish of Inverness, for the
second best Bull in said 3d or Inverness district, kept and exhib-
ited as aforesaid—Two Pounds Ten Shillings Sterling.

To Finlay McCallum, tenant in Crois, Inverness-shire, for the
best Bull, the property and in possession of any tenant in the 7th
or Forth-William district, kept on their farm, in terms of the
Society's advertisement, and exhibited at the competition for said
district in the year 1797—Four Pounds Sterling.

To Alexander Macvicar, tenant in Corchoon, in said county,
for the second best Bull in said 7th or Forth-William district, kept
and exhibited as aforesaid—Two Pounds Ten Shillings Sterling.

IMPROVING PASTURE GROUND.
To Mr Alexander Leslie, tackman of Croftcrois, parish of
Laggan, in Badenoch, for having made the most judicious Im-
provement by means of conducting Water over the greatest por-
tion of Pasture Ground, so as to eradicate heath, and produce
grass, of any tenant in the county of Inverness and Highland
districts of Moray and Nairn shires in the years 1796 and 1797—
Ten Pounds Sterling.

TURNSIPS AND SOWN GRASSES.
To the Highland Districts of Aberdeen, Banff, and Moray shires.
To Finlay Mackay, tenant at Inver of Aberdeen, parish of
Crathie and county of Aberdeen, for having the greatest propor-
tion of his farm under Turnips, dressed in terms of the Society's
advertisement, of any tenant renting lands under 100 Sterling in
the First District, containing the parishes of Braemar, Crathie,
Glenavon, Glenmuick, Tullich, Strathdon, Glenbuckie, Inver-
aven, Kirkmichael, Mortlach, and Aberlour, in the year 1797—
Four Pounds Sterling.

To Robert Farquharson, in Linbriary, parish of Strathdon, and
county aforesaid, for having the next greatest proportion of his
farm under Turnips, of any tenant renting lands as aforesaid—
Two Pounds Ten Shillings Sterling.

To Mr William Grant, tackman of Tombrach, parish of Glenlivet,
parish of Inverness, and county of Banff, for having the greatest
proportion of his farm under a Turnip crop, of the best quality,
and dressed in terms of the Society's advertisement, of any tenant
in said First District renting lands from 100 to 500 Sterling, in
the year 1797—Five Pounds Sterling.

To the Rev. Mr Charles McHardy, minister of Crathie, for
having the next greatest proportion, of tenants renting lands as
aforesaid—Four Pounds Sterling.

To the Rev. Mr John Gordon, minister of Strathdon, for ha-
ving the 2d greatest proportion in said district—Three Pounds Sterl.

To John Yates, tenant on the estate of Aberlour, and parish
thereof, as an encouragement for his attention to improving his
farm by laying down Turnip crops—One Pound Ten Shillings Sterl.

To Lieutenant James Macdonell, at Broomfield, parish of Mort-
lach, and county of Banff, for having the greatest proportion of
said farm laid down with Grass Seeds, dressed and protected in
terms of the Society's advertisement, and made into hay in the
year 1797, of any tenant in the First District renting lands from
100 to 500 Sterling—Five Pounds Sterling.

To the said Rev. Mr Charles McHardy, minister of Crathie,
for having the next greatest proportion, of tenants renting lands
as aforesaid in the above district—Four Pounds Sterling.

To Mr Alexander Thomson, in Hardhaugh, in the said parish
of Mortlach, for having the third greatest proportion as afore-
said—Three Pounds Sterling.

Second District.
Containing the parishes of Kincardine of Neil, Logie Goldstone,
Birk, Coull, Aboyne and Glentaner, Lumphannan, Taland
and Migvie, Alford, Kennebmone, Towie, Keig, Kildrumny,
Clair, Forbes and Kearn, Lochel, Culluoy, Touch, Cabrach
and Achleindore, in Aberdeenshire and the Highland parts
of the county of Mearns.

To Mr John Richardson, tackman of Mains of Kildrumny,
parish thereof, for having the greatest proportion of his farm
under a Turnip crop, and dressed in terms of the Society's ad-
vertisement, of any tenant in the Second District renting lands
under 100 Sterling in the year 1797—Four Pounds Sterling.

To the Rev. Mr John Harper, minister of Kildrumny, for
having the next greatest proportion, of tenants renting lands as
aforesaid—Three Pounds Sterling.

To the Rev. Mr Alexander Robertson, minister of the parish
of Coull, for having the third greatest proportion under Turnips—
Two Pounds Sterling.

To the said Rev. Mr John Harper, minister of Kildrumny,
for having the greatest proportion of his farm under Grass, pro-
perly laid down and protected in terms of the Society's adver-
tisement, of any tenant in said 2d district renting lands under
100 Sterling per annum, in 1797—Four Pounds Sterling.

To the Rev. Mr Robert Farquharson, minister of Goldstone,
tackman of Lounhead, for having the greatest proportion of his
farm properly laid down with Sown Grasses, and protected in
terms of the Society's advertisement, of any tenant renting lands
from 100 to 150 Sterling in the 2d District in the year 1797—
Five Pounds Sterling.

To James Ennisie in Cattie, parish of Tough, for the next great-
est proportion as aforesaid, of tenants renting Lands as last above-
mentioned—Four Pounds Sterling.

To David Walker, tackman of Kinaldy, parish of Goldstone,
for having the 3d greatest proportion of his farm under Sown
Grasses as aforesaid—Three Pounds Sterling.

CHEESE.
To Mrs Pheniela Campbell, Lady of the Hon. John Camp-
bell of Stonefield, for having made for sale on her dairy at Le-
venfide, in the year 1796, the greatest quantity of Cheese, and of
the best quality, of any person in the Counties of Dute and Dum-
friesshire—A Gold Medal or Piece of Plate of Ten Guineas value.

To William Brown, farmer on the Estate of Castle Hoxly,
county of Perth, for his communications, properly attested by
Members of the Society, of his Plan and Operation in Preserving
the Seed of Red Clover from the growth of his own farm, to a
considerable amount, not less than seven hundred weight, from
two acres, which was sown with success, equal to any foreign
seed—A Premium of Five Guineas.

By Order of the Directors.
LEWIS GORDON, Dep. Sec.
N.B. Several of the Premiums of half year for raising Green
Crops, Cultivation of Barren Lands by Planting Potatoes, and
other objects, are as yet under consideration, of which due no-
tice shall be given when adjudged—Mean time, the successful com-
petitors above-mentioned will receive payment of their respective
Premiums, on transmitting receipts therefor to Edinburgh, or
a written mandate authorizing any person there to receive and
discharge it.

SEQUESTERATIONS, &c.
Creditors of PATRICK FRASER, Jeweller in Edinburgh, to see
a state of his affairs at the shop of James McLean, the trust-
ee, South Bridge Street, betwixt and the 24th March
next; on which day a meeting will be held at the trustee's
shop, at 12 o'clock noon, to give instructions as to the future
management, and to receive final dividend.

THOMAS STODDART & SON, late Merchants in Leith,
to see a state of their affairs in the hands of Robert Allan, ac-
countant in Edinburgh, the trustee, till 19th March next;
on which day, at one o'clock P.M. a meeting will be held
in the trustee's house, North St David Street, to give di-
rections as to the future management.

PETER FORRESTER, Merchant in Edinburgh, to meet
in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse on the 14th of March
next, at one o'clock P.M. to consider of proposals submitted
to the last meeting, for a final adjustment of his affairs,
and compromising all undecided legal questions, &c.

February 21. JACULANE SIMPSON, Merchant in Nairn.—Cred-
itors to meet in the house of Mrs Robert Etles, vintner,
Inverness, on the 7th March next, at noon, to chuse an in-
terim factor; and at same place and hour, on the 3d April
next, to chuse a trustee.

ALEXANDER SINCLAIR, jun. Merchant in Elgin.—Cred-
itors to meet in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edin-
burgh, on the 2d March next, at two o'clock afternoon, to
chuse an interim factor; and at same place and hour on the
3d April next, to chuse a trustee.

EDINBURGH PRICES OF MEAL, Feb. 20.
Lothian per Bull, 30 bolls. South Country, 60.
First, 0 13 9 First, 0 13 0 First, 0 11
Second, 0 13 3 Second, 0 12 0 Second, 0 10
Third, 0 12 6 Third, 0 11 0 Third, 0 9

BELTON.
EAST LOTHIAN.
To be Let for such a number of years as can be agreed on, from
Whituesday 1798.

THE MANSION HOUSE OF BELTON, with the offices,
gardens, orchards, pigeon-house, and ten acres of Land.
Also the Farm, as in the possession of the late Mr Hay, which
consists of about 100 Scots acres of land, of the best quality.
The premises are about two miles south-west of Dunbar, com-
pletely inclosed, and the land in the greatest heart.

The houses and the farm will be let either separately or to-
gether.
Likewise to be Let, the Sheep Farm of BELTODD, in
Lammermuir.

The mansion house is furnished, large, and fit to accommodate
a genteel family. The garden remarkably early, and well
stocked with fruit trees, and the pigeon-house is double, and
very productive.

Proposals will be received by James Hay, writer to the sig-
net, who will give any information wanted. And John Angus,
overseer at Belton, will show the premises.

FARM, LIME-QUARRY, & COAL TO LET,
IN FIFE-SHIRE.
To be LET for such a number of years as can be agreed upon,
and entered to at the term of Martinmas next.

THE FARM OF FREESFAULD, part of the Estate of
Teafles, lying in parish of Ceris, consisting of upwards of
fifty acres, mostly arable, with a good sheep park of eight or
nine acres, substantially inclosed, and about twenty acres of
muir nearly adjoining the farm, mostly of good quality, and
presently under fallow;—great part of it is lined, and it can all
be easily otherwise improved.

The LIME-QUARRIES of Teafles, with the Cot-houses
and pertinents. This lime is well known to be of a very superior
quality, is level free, and may be wrought either by mining or
quarrying. The northern quarry shows a face of about eleven feet
thick of pure limestone, and the southern quarry is of the same
thickness, and easily wrought.—And the Coal of Teafles, which
is wrought level free, at little expense, is of an excellent quality
for burning lime, and besides supplying the above lime works,
will afford a great quantity of coal for sale.

For particulars, apply to Mr Edward Bruce, clerk to the
sig-net, or Mr Thomas Horsburgh, writer in Cupar.
Thomas Brand at Teafles mill, will show the premises.

MILL AND LANDS IN EAST AND MID-LOTHIAN.
To be LET, for Nineteen Years, and entered to at Martinmas
1798.

I. THE FARM of HOWDEN, part of the Estate of New-
byth, as lately possessed by Robert Hay. This Farm
has been occupied by the proprietor for four years, and is well
lined and manured; a large contiguous PARK will be added,
making the whole ground let about 140 acres.

II. THE MILL in Linton, called NEWBYTH MILL, with
its THRIPLAGE, and the TEMPLELANDS in Linton, pre-
sently occupied therewith, by George Simion, extending to a-
bout 16 acres.

III. THE FARM of SOUTH LANGLOAN, in the parish
of Liberton, Mid-Lothian, consisting of about 40 acres, pre-
sently possessed by Daniel Robb.

Proposals for leases may be given to Robert Baird, Esq.
of Newbyth, the proprietor; or to Bain Whyt, W. S. No. 50,
South Bridge Street.

SALE OF LANDS,
AND A MILLSTONE QUARRY.
To be SOLD by public roup, in the Royal Exchange Coffee-
house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 4th day of April
next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

THE LANDS of BOGEND, in the parish of Shotts, and
shire of Lanark, lying about twenty-two miles west from
Edinburgh, betwixt the two great roads from Edinburgh to
Glasgow, by Whitburn, and by Bathgate and Airdrie, and about
150 yards from the most approved track of the proposed Canal
betwixt Edinburgh and Glasgow.

These lands, on which there is a handsome new-bail Farm-
house, consist of about 150 acres of the best arable, meadow,
and pasture ground in that part of the country, and there is a
very appearance of coal and lime in the lands.—The greatest
part of the farm is let from year to year in grass, at a low rent;
but a purchaser may enter to the house and a few acres of ground
immediately, and to the rest of the farm in spring 1799.

The MILLSTONE QUARRY lies off at a side of the farm,
and will either be sold along with it or separately. The stone
which has been wrought from it is of different kinds, and of
the best quality for grinding either barley, oats or peas, and it is
believed that it may be successfully tried for grinding wheat.

Application may be made to Robert Hill, W. S. North Char-
lotte Street, Edinburgh, who will treat with any one wishing
to purchase by private bargain.

JUDICIAL SALE.
To be SOLD by auction, within the Session House at Edinburgh,
upon Wednesday the 18th February 1798, between the hours
of five and seven afternoon.

LOT V. OF
THE SUBJECTS which belonged to the late Sir ALEXAN-
DER LIVINGSTON of Westquarter and Beddornie, Bart.
being a tenement of Houses and Gardens in and about the town
of Falkirk, possessed by Alexander Ramsay and others. The
free rent is L. 25 : 3 : 4. Sterling, and the upset price is
L. 211 : 6 : 8. Sterling.

The articles of sale are to be seen in the office of Mr Jeffrey,
depute clerk of Session; and in the hands of Mr Ferrier, writer
to the sig-net.

ARGYLESHIRE.
THE Valuable ESTATE OF CRAIGNISH, forming a
beautiful Peninsula, near the mouth of the Crinan Canal,
IS TO BE SOLD.

Together or in Lots, by Private Bargain or Public Roup,
as shall be afterwards particularly advertised.

There are a commodious Mansion-House, consisting of an old
Castle and modern addition, an elegant Court of Offices, and
Garden stocked with fruit trees, &c. In situation, soil, and
otherwise, this property is distinguished by very superior advan-
tages.

The title-deeds, plan, and rental, will be seen by applying to
Alexander Keay, accountant, George Street; or James Camp-
bell, W. S. St Andrew's Square.

HOUSE HUNTER'S SQUARE.
To be SOLD by public roup, on Wednesday the 25th of Fe-
bruary next, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, betwixt the
hours of two and three afternoon.

THAT HOUSE in Hunter's Square, presently possessed by
Mr Archibald Gilchrist, merchant.
The house may be seen on Mondays and Fridays, from twelve
to two o'clock afternoon.

For further particulars, apply to Thomas Gloag, W. S.

SALE OF HOUSE IN PARK STREET.
To be sold by auction, on Wednesday the 28th February next,
within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, at two o'clock after-
noon.

THAT Commodious DWELLING HOUSE in Park Street,
lately belonging to, and possessed by the deceased Lady
Mary Irvine, consisting of eight rooms, kitchen, light closets,
and cellars, with a small garden, and other conveniences.

For inspecting the title-deeds and articles of sale, apply to
Mr Boswell, W. S. who has power to conclude a private bar-
gain; and the house will be shown on Monday, Thursday, or
Saturday, from one to three o'clock, previous to the sale.

HOUSE IN GEORGE'S STREET, FOR SALE.
To be sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-
house, upon Wednesday the 28th of February 1798, at one
o'clock afternoon.

THAT DWELLING-HOUSE, consisting of two flats, being
No. 30, George Street, and upon the north-east corner of
South Frederick Street, containing upon the first or upper flat,
dining-room, parlour (or business room) drawing-room, three
bed-rooms, six closets and other conveniences—upon the second
or ground flat, kitchen, housekeeper's room (or writing cham-
ber) dressing-room, fire-room, servants room, pantry, cata-
combs &c. together with three cellars, all as possessed by the late
Mr James Sommers.

The premises may be seen upon Tuesdays, Wednesdays and
Saturdays, from twelve to three o'clock afternoon.
For further particulars application may be made to James
Drummond, or David Wemyss, writers to the sig-net, who are
authorized to conclude a private bargain.

SUBJECTS ON LEITH WALK FOR SALE.
To be SOLD by public roup, on Wednesday the 28th day of
February instant, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, between
the hours of six and seven P. M.

THE PROPERTY OF ROBERT McMILLAN, Paper Stain-
er in Edinburgh, called MIDDLEFIELD, situated on
the west side of the Walk of Leith, between the properties of
Mr Fraser and Mr Richmond, on the fourth and north—
The ground consists of 2 roads, 25 falls, and 30 cils, upon the
fourth end of which Mr McMillan built two tenements, one of
two floors, the other of four, including the attic floor, and
which last is rented at 85l. the former being possessed by Mr
McMillan. The rest of the ground, 41 feet inclosed, is occu-
pied as a garden; it extends above 30 feet in front along the
Walk, clear of the two tenements, and from situation and
command of prospect, is inferior to none on the Walk for
building.

It is hoped such persons as remain indebted to Mr McMillan
will make immediate payment to the trustee, in whose hands a
state of the personal funds recovered is to be seen, but which do
not admit of a separate division.

For further particulars, apply to John Granger, writer to the
sig-net, trustee, who is possessed of two plans for subdividing the
ground, made out by Mr Baxter.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,
And entered to at Whituesday next,
THAT HOUSE in Merchant Street, possessed by Mr Brem-
ner writer consisting of three flats or stories, with ground
floor consisting of a large kitchen, cellars, laundry, water-pipe,
and paved back court.

The house is large enough to be divided into two convenient
lodgings, and may be seen on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from
twelve to three o'clock.

Apply to Alexander Fraser, W. S. No. 32, North Hanover
Street.

LORD ALVA'S HOUSE AT DRUMSHEUGH.
To be Let, FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED, and entered
to at Whituesday next.

THAT HOUSE at DRUMSHEUGH, possessed by Sir John
Murray, Bart. with garden grounds, and shrubbery.
The house consists of 14 rooms, exclusive of a complete half
bunk floor, and is known to be one of the most commodious
houses for a large family that is to be met with, having all the
principal rooms upon the first floor. The dining-room is
feet by 22—the drawing-room 30 feet by 40.

There is a stable and double coach-house, and complete of-
fices. The grounds, including the garden, in which there
green house, are about three acres.

The situation of this house renders it a desirable villa, while at
the same time it possesses every advantage that attends the well
part of the New Town, being adjacent to Charlotte Square.

For particulars apply to Messrs. Young, Trotter, and Hamil-
ton, Prince's Street, or at Mr Campbell's chamber, St James's
Square.

HOUSES AT PERTH TO BE SOLD BY ROUP,
By order of the Sheriff of Perthshire.

To be SOLD, by public roup, within the house of Duncan
McDougall, winter in Perth, upon Friday the 16th day of
March next, at three o'clock afternoon.

THE following SUBJECTS, which belong to Andrew Gray,
millwright in Perth, conveyed by him upon a disposition
in security, containing powers of sale, lying at the street called
Paul's Street, without the Highgate Port of Perth, viz.

Lot I. Is to consist of the NEW TENEMENT of Houses,
which is the corner house of Paul's Street, and fronts the well
and north, and is built on the 10th lot by a plan made out by
Henry Buist, land surveyor, upon the town of Perth's feuing
out the grounds lately. The upset price is to be 370l.

Lot II. Is to consist of another NEW TENEMENT on the
east of the former, which fronts to the north, and is built up-
on part of the 11th lot, by Henry Buist's plan. The stable,
and dunghill stance or shed, erected on this lot, and the re-
mainder of the grounds of lot 11th, are to go along with this
lot. The upset price is to be 340l.

The entry is to be at Whituesday next, and credit will be
given till 29th September next for the price, upon good se-
curity.

The articles of roup and writs, will be seen in the hands of
Andrew Davidson, writer in Perth.

LANDS IN ABERDEENSHIRE.
To be SOLD by public auction, within the Royal Exchange
Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 7th day of
March 1798, at two o'clock afternoon.

THE LANDS and ESTATE of BALMORALL, situated
in the beautiful country of Strathdee, and parish of Cra-
thie, on the fourth bank of the Dee, about nine miles below the
Castle of Braemar, on the great military road leading from
Perth to Fort George.—The woods are extensive and valuable.

They consist of fir, birch, alder, roan-tree, hazel, and poplar,
are all natural, and a very considerable part full grown, ready
for market.—The mansion-house is commodious and substantial,
with suitable offices, and two gardens, and the woods and very
extensive muirs abound with red and roe deer, black game,
grouse, tarmigans, hares, both brown and white, and partridges.

The Dee affords plenty of salmon and trout, and the Gaulder,
which runs through the property, is one of the best trouting
streams in the country. There is an excellent lime-stone quarry
on the estate, with plenty of peat and other fuel for burning
lime, and for the accommodation of the proprietor and ten-
ants, which is a material advantage, as the arable land may
be laid to be in a state of nature, although it possesses the means
of improvement within itself.—The present free rent is 161l. 9s.
4d. 9-pennies, but most of the farms are out of lease, and the tenants
will give a considerable rise upon a renewal of the leases.

The lands hold of the Earl of Fife, for payment of 3l. 9s. 11d. Ster-
ling of feu-duty, and the tithes are valued and exhausted. The
tenants pay cess over and above their rent, and deliver 550
loads of peats annually.

For further information application may be made to Hugh
Brenner, accountant in Edinburgh, or Mr Peter Farquharson,
advocate in Aberdeen.

JUDICIAL SALE OF
THE ESTATE OF CULROSS,
WITH COAL AND SALT WORKS,
in the close neighbourhood of the burgh of Culross, and Fish-
ings of Forth.

To be exposed to Sale by auction, within the Parliament or Ses-
sion House of Edinburgh, by authority of the Lords of the
Council and Session, on Wednesday the 7th of March next,
1798, betwixt the hours of 4 and 6 afternoon.

THE LANDS and ESTATE of CULROSS, comprehending
the farms of Boydie, Whitehill, Rigghead, Kirkton, Baad, Waas, Blenkeirry, Gargie, Halley's Land, Wood-
head, Abbey and Byrefield Parks, &c. with the tithes and pen-
sion, all lying within the parish of Culross and shire of Perth.

Together with the COAL and SALT WORKS of Culross,
Colliers and Salters House, Salt-Pans, &c. and whole pen-
sion, privileges, and pertinents thereto belonging.

Also, THE ABBEY or MANSION HOUSE of Culross,
with the garden, wood, and wood land adjoining, right of Pa-
tronage of the parish kirk of Culross, Aisle in the church, right
of fishing, with eleven cruives at Langanet, and right of cast-
ing sea-ware on the shore opposite to the Abbey of Culross.

Together with some SMALL FEU DUTIES, payable out of
houses in Pettycommon and St Mungo's; all as more particu-
larly defined in the proven rental and prepared East of the
process of sale, at the upset price of 21,420l. 6s. 6d. 8-pennies.

There are upwards of 500 acres of arable ground in the pre-
mises, besides muir ground, garden, and planting, and the Park
of Abbey, Byrefield, Woodhead, and Gargie, which lie con-
iguous to the mansion house, are all in grass.

The free rent of the current year is about 450l. and as the
parts of the estate under grass are let from year to year, and the
other farms only for three years, some of which expired at
Martinmas last, and the rest will expire at Martinmas 1799, a
considerable rise of rent may be expected for leases of longer
duration.

The Abbey or mansion house of Culross is an elegant build-
ing, of excellent workmanship, pleasantly situated, and com-
mands a most extensive view of the Firth of Forth, and sur-
rounding country, and the coal and salt works may be carried
on to considerable advantage.

The estate holds partly of the Crown, and partly of subjects
superior, and stands valued in the cess-books at 490l. Scots.
The tithes are valued, and all exhausted by the stipends al-
located, and payable to the present ministers.

The tenants will shew the lands, and the gardener will shew
the mansion-house and garden.

The conditions of sale, and proven rental, with plans of the
estate and coal works, are to be seen at the office of Mr Henry
Depute-Clerk of Session; and Robert Watson, writer, Park
Street, agent in the sale, will furnish intending officers with
printed copies of the memorial, and abstract of the proven ren-
tal, and give all further necessary information.

N.B. The sale of this Estate has been repeatedly adjourned, on ap-
plications to the Court, and writs of appeal; but there is reason to ex-
pect the sale will now proceed on the day appointed, to which intend-
ing officers will please attend.

SALE OF ESTATES IN BERWICKSHIRE.
To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-
house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 7th of March
1798.—The roup to begin at two o'clock afternoon.

THE FOLLOWING LANDS AND ESTATES
VIZ.

1. The LANDS and ESTATE of WHITSONHILL, and
SALMON FISHERIES thereto belonging, lying within the pa-
rishes of Whitton and Ladykirk.

This estate consists of 1362 acres, and is presently possessed by
nine tenants at the yearly rent of 1153l. 13s. 6d. The most ma-
terial of the leases expire in the 1802, when a very considerable
rise of rent will be got. The whole of the leases contain proper
restrictions as to the management of the farms.

The stipend, school salary, and feu-duty payable out of this
estate is 24l. 6s. 1d. 4-pennies, and the representatives of Sir Da-
vid Dalrymple of Hailes are bound to relieve the proprietor of the
augmentation of stipends.

The whole of the estate, excepting some small pendicles in
the town of Whitton, is held of the Crown, and will afford the
best qualifications in the county:

Or, if more agreeable to officers, this estate will be exposed
in the following Lots—

Lot I.—The Lands of RAMRIGG, RAMAGEMOUNT,
and GREENSIDE, with the SALMON FISHERIES on
the Tweed, consisting of 741 acres, and of yearly rent 611l.

Lot II.—The Lands of WHITSONHILL, WHITSON,
VOLTS, DEADRIG, and CARTRIG, HURDIE-HILL
and CLAYPOTTS, and EASTER WHITSON, con-
sisting of 621 acres, and of yearly rent 542l. 13s. 6d.

2dly. THE LANDS and BARONY of HILTON, and Trains
thereof, lying in the parish of Whitton, consisting of the farms
of Winfield and Hiltounhill, as possessed by Robert Brown and
John Hogarth, extending to 875 acres, at the yearly rent of 760l.

The stipend and school salary payable out of the estate is 23l.
9d.